

## **COMMONWEALTH of VIRGINIA**

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5 September 2018

James D. Dahling, President and CEO Children's Hospital of the King's Daughters 601 Children's Lane Norfolk, Virginia 23507

RE: COPN Request No. VA-8410
Children's Hospital of the King's Daughters, Norfolk, Virginia
Planning District 20
Addition of CT Imaging Equipment

Dear Mr. Dahling:

This letter is to acknowledge the 4 September 2018 receipt of the letter of intent and enclose the material for your use in filing a certificate of public need (COPN) request for the above-referenced project.

When completing the enclosed application form, you may wish to consult our office, the Division of Certificate of Public Need (DCOPN), in accordance with Part V of the <u>Virginia Medical Care Facilities Certificate of Public Need Rules and Regulations</u> (Regulations).

The <u>Code of Virginia</u> prescribes eight required considerations that provide criteria for the review of COPN applications and Section 32.1-102.3.A of the <u>Code of Virginia</u> requires that COPN decisions "shall be consistent with the most recent applicable provisions" of the <u>State Medical Facilities Plan (SMFP)</u>. As a COPN applicant please take note of the <u>SMFP</u> and the eight required considerations and prepare your application accordingly.

The Regulations, the <u>SMFP</u> and the eight required considerations at § 32.1-102.3.B of the <u>Code of Virginia</u> can be found at the following internet addresses respectively.

https://law.lis.virginia.gov/admincode/title12/agency5/chapter220/section220/

https://law.lis.virginia.gov/admincode/title12/agency5/chapter220/section230/

https://law.lis.virginia.gov/vacode/title32.1/chapter4/

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When filing the application, please submit two signed copies to my attention at the following address:

Virginia Department of Health Division of Certificate of Public Need 9960 Mayland Drive – Suite 401 Richmond, Virginia 23233

The <u>Code of Virginia</u> at § 32.1-102.6 requires applications to be transmitted to the DCOPN electronically on compact disk data storage media or email to <u>COPN@VDH.Virginia.Gov</u>, by certified mail or a delivery service, return receipt requested, or by hand, with signed receipt to be provided.

The DCOPN will conduct a preliminary review of the signed application upon receipt to determine its completeness. In accordance with 12 VAC 5-220-290 B, no application will be deemed to be complete for review until the required application fee is paid. The fee schedule is one percent of the proposed expenditure for the project, but no less than \$1,000 and no more than \$20,000. The next review cycle that is available for this project category is scheduled as follows:

## **BATCH GROUP D/G**

Deadline for Submission of Application	October 1, 2018
Deadline for Submission of Any Additional Information Required to Complete Application	November 5, 2018
First Day of Review Cycle	November 12, 2018
Deadline for Completion of DCOPN Review	January 22, 2019
Deadline for Commissioner's Decision (assuming there is no need for an Informal Fact-Finding Conference)	March 11, 2019

Should you have any questions or need further clarification about this review process, please feel free to contact Piero Mannino, the Division of Certificate of Public Need Supervisor, at (804) 367-2137 or by email at Piero.Mannino@VDH.Virginia.Gov.

Sincerely,

Erik Bodin, Director

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801 Children's Lene Norfolk, VA 23507

September 4, 2018



## **Bv Hand Delivery**

M. Norman Oliver, MD, MA State Health Commissioner Virginia Department of Health 109 Governor Street, 13th Floor Richmond, Virginia 23219

> Children's Hospital of The King's Daughters Re:

> > Letter of Intent

**Addition of CT Equipment** 

Dear Dr. Oliver:

I write to inform you that Children's Hospital of The King's Daughters ("CHKD") intends to submit a COPN application for the addition of one fixed CT unit on CHKD's campus, located at 601 Children's Lane, Norfolk, VA 23507, in Planning District 20.

Please forward the appropriate application materials to me. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at (757) 668-7044.

Sincerely,

CC:

lames D. Dahling President, CEO

Children's Hospital of The King's Daughters

Mr. Erik O. Bodin, III, Director, Division of Certificate of Public Need